

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application)	<u>PATENT APPLICATION</u>
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Title:	SURGICAL DEVICE AND METHOD FOR BONE SURGERY)
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This RESPONSE is in reply to the outstanding Final Office Action.

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